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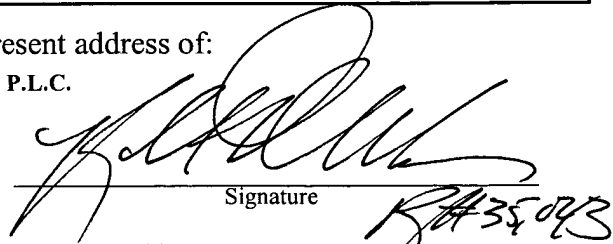
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The undersigned points out that the executed application being filed herewith includes copies of pages 1 - 3 of two partially executed Declarations forwarded by facsimile, and pages 1 - 16 and 1 sheet of drawings which were added by the law firm of the undersigned, which are identical to pages 1 - 16 and 1 sheet of drawings forwarded for execution. Further, the undersigned has been advised that the application was physically present when the inventors executed the Declaration.

Accordingly, Applicants respectfully submit that the present application is properly executed and should be considered as filed in executed form. However, if the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office determines that the present application is not properly executed, Applicants respectfully request that the present application be treated as an unexecuted application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) and (f).



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